**Primary Exporter** 

Consignee

TOWAMENCIN METAL TRADERS, INC BOX 821, 94 BROWER AVENUE OAKS PA 19456 USA

La Corporation Newalta 1200 rue Garnier VILLE STE-CATHERINE QC J5C 1B4 CANADA

**EPA** Identification:

Dear Sir,

Pursuant 40 CFR 262.56 TOWAMENCIN METAL TRADERS, INC is giving notice of its exports of spent lead acid batteries, (TCLP toxic for Corrosive D002, Lead D008, LDR CFR 40 268.42, Table #2) for the following period: 07/01/2012 to 12/31/2012

EPA File #'s used 12/05700/IMP corresponding Canadian import permits #529668

US DOT Shipping information:

UN2794 BATTERIES, WET, FILLED WITH ACID CLASS 8 UN2800 BATTERIES, WET, NON-SPILLABLE CLASS 8

Transporter	EPA Identification		Quantity Exported (Pounds)	Shipment count
SERVICES DE TRANSPORT TRAC-WORLD IN		THE RESERVE OF THE PARTY OF THE	125,790	3
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		Total:	166,690	4

I certify under penality of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this and all attached documents, and that based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for otaining the information, I believe that the submitted information is true, accruate, and complete. I am aware the there are significant penalities for submitting false information including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.

**Primary Exporter:** 

Signature Name /eo F Horse

Date

2-5-13

Mailling Adress: Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance, Office of Federal Activities, International Compliance Assurance Division (2254A), Environment Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460. Hand-delivered reports should be sent to: Office of Environment and Compliance Assurance, Office of Federal Activities, International Compliance Assurance Division, Environment Protection Agency, Ariel Rios Bldg., Room 6144, 12th St. and Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20004.

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## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

FEB 1 3 2013

Dear US Primary Exporter of Spent Lead Acid Batteries:

OFFICE OF ENFORCEMENT AND COMPLIANCE ASSURANCE

As you are aware, a primary exporter of spent lead acid batteries (SLABs) is required to file with the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) an Annual Report of any export shipments of SLABs by March 1 of the year following any actual export(s), under 40 CFR Sections 262.56 and 262.87(a) of EPA regulations.

Our records indicate that during 2012 you had a valid consent for the export of SLABs. If you did export SLABs during calendar year 2012 your Annual Report is due by March 1, 2013. If you did not export SLABs during 2012, please send us an email stating that your company did not export SLABs during calendar year 2012. Your submission should be mailed to me at the address shown below or emailed to Scott Nelson at nelson.scott@epa.gov no later than March 1, 2013.

Exporters that shipped SLABs to Canada, Mexico, or any country not belonging to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) must submit an annual report containing all items of information found at 40 CFR Sections 262.56 (a)(1) through (4), (6) and (b). Exporters that shipped SLABs to OECD Member countries other than Canada or Mexico must submit an annual report containing all items of information found at 40 CFR Section 262.87(a). Annual Reports not meeting these requirements, as applicable, will be returned as deficient. Failure to file a timely and accurate annual report of SLAB exports can result in a penalty of up to \$32,500 per day.

For your convenience we have created a user-friendly, optional Excel spreadsheet, which you can use to submit your Annual Report. This spreadsheet contains all the Annual Report elements you must report as required by 40 CFR 262.56 and 40 CFR 262.879(a) and provides detailed instructions to assist you in completing your submittal. If you would like to receive a copy of the optional Excel spreadsheet, please contact Scott Nelson at nelson.scott@epa.gov to receive the electronic file.

Should you choose to use the optional Excel spreadsheet, we request that you submit it both in electronic form to Scott Nelson at nelson.scott@epa.gov and in signed and dated hardcopy via mail to Scott Nelson at the address listed below. Your cooperation will assist us with compiling the 2012 data expeditiously.

Sincerely,

Robert G. Heiss, Director

International Compliance Assurance Division

Office of Federal Activities

US Environmental Protection Agency Ariel Rios Building, Mail Code 2254A

Robert Steins

1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

Washington, D.C. 20460

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Sent:

Wednesday, March 06, 2013 10:27 AM

To:

Nelson, Scott

Attachments: EPA 3.5.13.PDF (1 MB)

Dear Mr. Nelson,

Attached is a signed copy of the 40 CFR 262.56. We received a post dated (2.27.13) letter from your office on 3.5.13. We were out of the office and returned 3.5.13. Not sure if you also need the original signed copy mailed to your office. Please advise if you have any questions.

Thank You,

Leo Horcher Towamencin Metal Traders, Inc (P) 610-666-1764 (F) 610-666-1056 (C) 267-467-0628

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